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REMARKS

At the outset, Applicants again respectfully request the Examiner to provide a copy of the Form PTO-892 intended to be included with the final Office Action of May 18, 2004.

Claims 1-18 are pending. Independent claims 1 and 9-14 are independent are amended to require the data to be representative of performance of at least one of the parties of one or more events relevant to the contract or agreement. None of the applied references, including Conant et al. (U.S. Patent Publication No. 2002/0129056) and Clark (U.S. Patent No. 6,343,280) discloses or suggests such a limitation.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, favorable reconsideration of the rejections and allowance of the application are deemed in order.

To the extent necessary during prosecution, Applicants hereby request any required extension of time not otherwise requested and hereby authorize the Commissioner to charge any required fees not otherwise provided for, including extension, extra claims, and application processing fees, to Deposit Account No. 08-2025.

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